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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF OREGON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

3:20-CR-00435-SI

v.

**MOTION TO DISMISS INDICTMENT
WITH PREJUDICE**

JESSE HERMAN BATES,

Rule 48(a), Fed. R. Crim. P.

Defendant.

The United States of America hereby moves the Court for an Order under Rule 48(a), Fed. R. Crim. P., to dismiss *with prejudice* the indictment in this case, in the best interests of justice.

Dated this 7th day of March, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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